

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Duncan Kerr

Attorney Docket No.: APL1P215/P2698

Application No.: 10/075,964

Examiner: Ton, Anabel

Filed: February 13, 2002

Group: 2875

Title: ACTIVE ENCLOSURE FOR COMPUTING DEVICE Confirmation No.: 9251

**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by facsimile to fax number 703-872-9306 to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 1, 2005.

Signed:

*Linda L. Pollock*  
Linda L. Pollock

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
BEFORE FINAL ACTION OR NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE  
(37 CFR §§ 1.56 AND 1.97(c))**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

07/06/2005 BBONNER 00000011 500388 10075964  
01 FC:1806 180.00 DA

Dear Sir:

The references listed in the attached PTO Form 1449 may be material to examination of the above-identified patent application. Applicants identify these references in compliance with their duty of disclosure pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.56 and 1.97. The Examiner is requested to make these citations of official record in this application.

This Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, that additional information material to the examination of this application does not exist, or that these references indeed constitute prior art.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits, or after three months of the filing date of this application, whichever event occurred last, but it is believed before the mailing date of either: (i) a final action under § 1.113 or (ii) a notice of allowance under § 1.311, whichever occurs first.

APL1P215/P2698

1

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**

Accompanying this Information Disclosure Statement is

- ☐ a statement as specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e); or  
☒ the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p).

[37 CFR §1.97(e) Statement, if relied upon]

The undersigned hereby states:

☐ that each item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application no more than three months prior to the filing of the Information Disclosure Statement; or

☐ that no item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and to the knowledge of the person signing the certification after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement was known to any individual designated in § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of the Information Disclosure Statement.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$180.00 in payment of the Information Disclosure Statement Fee to Deposit Account 500388 (Order No. APL1P215). If it is determined that any additional fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account 500388 (Order No. APL1P215).

Respectfully submitted,  
BEYER WEAVER & THOMAS, LLP



Quin C. Hoellwarth  
Registration No. 45,738

P.O. Box 70250  
Oakland, CA 94612-0250

APL1P215/P2698

2

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

<b>Form 1449 (Modified)</b>  <b>Information Disclosure Statement By Applicant</b>  (Use Several Sheets if Necessary)	Atty Docket No.	Application No.:
	APL1P215/P2698	10/075,964
	Applicant: Duncan Kerr	
Filing Date	February 13, 2002	Group 2875

## U.S. Patent Documents

Examiner Initial	No.	Patent No.	Date	Patentee	Class	Sub-class	Filing Date
/A.T./	A	4,847,736	07-11-89	Ho			
	B	6,035,180	03-07-00	Kubes et al.			08-17-88
	C	6,476,726	11-05-02	Pederson			10-07-97
	D	6,690,362	02-10-04	Motoyama et al.			07-28-00
	E	6,720,745	04-13-04	Lys et al.			09-15-00
	F	6,816,149	11-09-04	Alsleben			12-17-98
	G	6,888,322	05-03-05	Dowling et al.			04-23-02
	H	2003/0161093	08-28-03	Lam et al.			07-27-01
	I	2004/0141321	07-22-04	Dowling et al.			09-03-99
	J	2004/0201573	10-14-04	Yu et al.			11-18-03
	K	2005/0036300	02-17-05	Dowling et al.			04-10-03
	L	2005/0047132	03-03-05	Dowling et al.			09-05-03
							08-06-04

## Foreign Patent or Published Foreign Patent Application

Examiner Initial	No.	Document No.	Publication Date	Country or Patent Office	Class	Sub-class	Translation	
	M						Yes	No
	N							
	O							
	P							
	Q							

## Other Documents

Examiner Initial	No.	Author, Title, Date, Place (e.g. Journal) of Publication
	R	
	S	
	T	
Examiner /Anabel Ton/		Date Considered 09/03/08

Examiner: Initial citation considered. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

BEST AVAILABLE COPY